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Via ECFS  
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to  
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer that supports broadband competition. For years, we have had to rely on comcast to bring us high speed internet and that was the only company that could provide the level of speed that we were looking for. As we live near the ocean, DSL did not work for us because 1) the hub is too far away and 2) the cables connecting us to the DSL hub is old and services gets disrupted easily.

I can't tell you how happy we are that SONIC started servicing our neighborhood with Fibre network that gives us very high speed gigabit internet and phone service at \$50 / month! With comcast, I had to pay at least \$80 a month to get only about 20% of the speed that SONIC was providing us.

Broadband competition benefits everyone as competition brings prices down and service levels up! Please stop the anti-competition big telephone companies from imposing a massive price hike on all of us with their deregulation lobbying!

Thank you!

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